## Declaration, Power of Attorney

Page 1 of 4

O. Z. 0050/43974/44027

We (I), the undersigned inventor(s), hereby declare that:

the specification of which

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

We (I) believe that we are (I am) the original, first, and joint (sole) inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

DYEING CELLULOSE-CONTAINING TEXTILE MATERIAL WITH HYDROGENATED INDIGO

[] was filed or	1	a
Applicatio	n Serial No.	
and amend	led on	·
⋈ was filed as	s PCT international application	
Number _	PCT/EP 94/00873	
on	March 21, 1994	
and was ar	nended under PCT Article 19	

We (I) hereby state that we (I) have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We (I) acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to the examination of this application in accordance with Section 1.56(a) of Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations.

We (I) hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Section 119 of Title 35 United States Code, of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Application No.	Country	Day/Month/Year	Priority Claimed
P 43 10 122.4	Federal Republic of Germany	30th March 1993	[x] Yes [] No
P 43 15 873.0	Federal Republic of Germany	12th May 1993	[x] Yes [] No

O. Z. 0050/43974/44027

We (I) hereby claim the benefit under Section 120 of Title 35 United States Code, of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Section 112 of Title 35 United States Code, we (I) acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Section 1.56 (a) of Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations, which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Application Serial No.	Filing Date	Status (pending, patented, abandoned)
PCT/EP 94/00873	March 21, 1994	
Argentina 327751	March 24, 1994	pending
Indonesia P-940428	March 22, 1994	pending
India 94/000160/MAS	March 7, 1994	pending
Mexico 943342	May 6, 1994	pending
Pakistan 94/000094	March 7, 1994	pending
Turkey 021787	March 30, 1994	pending
Taiwan 83102044	March 9, 1994	pending

And we (I) hereby appoint: Norman F. Oblon, Registration Number 24,618; Marvin J. Spivak, Registration Number 24,913; C. Irvin McClelland, Registration Number 21,124; Gregory J. Maier, Registration Number 25,599; Arthur I. Neustadt, Registration Number 24,854; Robert C. Miller, Registration Number 25,357; Richard D. Kelly, Registration Number 27,757; James D. Hamilton, Registration Number 28,421; Eckhard H. Kuesters, Registration Number 28,870; Robert T. Pous, Registration Number 29,099; Charles L. Gholz, Registration Number 26,395; Vincent J. Sunderdick, Registration Number 29,004; William E. Beaumont, Registration Number 30,996; Steven B. Kelber, Registration Number 30,073; Stuart D. Dwork, Registration Number 31,103; Robert F. Gnuse, Registration Number 27,295; Jean-Paul Lavalleye, Registration Number 31,451; William B. Walker, Registration Number 22,498; Timothy R. Schwartz, Registration Number 32,171; Richard H. Stern, Registration Number 20,380; and John H. O. Clark, Registration Number 17,373, our (my) attorneys, with full powers of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected therewith; and we (I) hereby request that all correspondence regarding this application be sent to the firm of OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P. C., whose Post Office Address is: Fourth Floor, 1755 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202.

We (I) declare that all statements made herein of our (my) own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.



Georg Schnitzer		
NAME OF FIRST	OR SOLE	INVENTOR

1-00

Signature of Inventor

Date

March 28, 1994

Residence: Herxheimer Strasse 13a 67273 Weisenheim DEX Federal Republic of Germany

Citizen of:

Germany

Post Office Address: same as residence

Franz Suetsch

NAME OF SECOND JOINT INVENTOR

Signature of Inventor

Date

March 28, 1994

Residence: Hauptstrasse 159
67127 Roedersheim-Gronau
Federal Republic of Germany

Citizen of:

Germany

Post Office Address: same as residence

Mighael Schmitt

NAME OF THIRD JOINT INVENTOR

Signature of Inventor

Date

March 28, 1994

Residence: Bachweg 9a
67549 Worms
Federal Republic of Germany

Citizen of:

Germany

Post Office Address: same as residence

Erich Kromm

NAME OF FOURTH JOINT INVENTOR

Signature of Inventor

Date

March 28, 1994

Residence: Schillerstrasse 45
67256 Weisenheim
Federal Republic of Germany

Citizen of:

Germany

Post Office Address: same as residence

## Declaration Page 4 of 4

O. Z. 0050/43974/44027

Harald Schlueter
WAME OF FIFTH JOINT INVENTOR

Signature of Inventor

Date

March 28, 1994

Rudolf Krueger

NAME OF SIXTH JOINT INVENTOR

Signature of Inventor

Date

March 28, 1994

Andreas Weiper-Idelmann
NAME OF SEVENTH JOINT INVENTOR

Signature of Inventor

Date

March 28, 1994

Residence: Karl-Gayer-Strasse 14
67273 Weisenheim

Federal Republic of Germany

Citizen of: Germany

Post Office Address: same as residence

Residence: Suedtiroler Ring 5
67273 Weisenheim
Federal Republic of Germany

Citizen of: Germany

Post Office Address: same as residence

Residence: Meerlachstrasse 11

68163 Mannheim

Federal Republic of Germany

Citizen of: Germany

Post Office Address: same as residence